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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Competition is the protector of the free marketplace. Without it, markets fails and oligarchs prevail to the detriment of all.

Please keep our markets open, free, and competitive so that our broadband services and prices are the best in all the world and the envy of those who would restrict or centrally control the marketplace.

Thank you.

Andrew Jordan